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Applicant: Lubera et al.  
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Examiner: Ruth Rodriguez  
Title: RESILIENT CLIP FASTENER  
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2002, to which a response with a one month extension of time is due by March 29, 2003, please consider the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

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